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ABSTRACT

Many systems require multi functions capability in the filter aspects of the systems, the method currently used is filter banks for achieving different centre frequency, bandwidth, gain and so on which take up a lot of space. It is better use a single reconfigurable filter to replace a filter bank. The aim of this research is to make a reconfigurable microwave filter for 1-10GHz which is suitable for satellite communication and cellular phones. This work presents a method to design a both frequency and bandwidth tunable filter using coupled microstrip line and short circuit straight stubs. This filter incorporates facility to vary both frequency and bandwidth using simple switching technique. Bandwidth is varied by simply switching ON and OFF the straight stubs keeping coupled line fixed. Various combination of straight stubs results in different bandwidths. Furthermore effective length of coupled line can also be varied to vary centre frequency and along with switching stubs gives both frequency and bandwidth tunable filter. Pin diode is supposed to be used for switching due to their superior performance in ultra high frequency (UHF) band of our interest. The filter has been designed and simulated using Agilent advanced design system (ADS2010.11) where parametric analysis has been performed to tune the impedance and length of coupled line and stubs.

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